

## STRIKES DEPRECATED BY THE PRESIDENT OF MISS. VALLEY MEN

ST. LOUIS, April 20.—Pursuit of an aggressive foreign trade policy by the United States and enactment of federal legislation to guarantee industry against strikes were advocated by speakers at the opening session of the Mississippi Valley association convention today.

The United States is producing far more than is needed for domestic consumption, it was asserted, and a foreign market must be found for this surplus.

Federal legislation guaranteeing industries against strikes was demanded by Harry H. Merrick, president of the association. He referred to the railroad strike and the recent steel and coal strikes, as "dramatic attempts to stop production," and insisted that the resources of the twenty-seven states in the Mississippi valley be coordinated to effect this legislation.

"We must pool our resources," he asserted, "so that only those favoring legislation against these criminal attempts to stop production will be elected to congress."

### URGES DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY

Secretary of Commerce Alexander, in an address urged that the industries of America be maintained at the highest rate of efficiency so that they might compete more aggressively for world trade. Capital and labor must cooperate, he asserted, to expand America's foreign commerce.

"With the reparation of European industries," he declared, "competition in the world trade will become more aggressive. If the Mississippi valley and the entire United States wishes to enjoy a fair share of the commerce in competition with Europe, it is necessary that our industries be maintained at the highest rate of efficiency."

## MATHER TO HEAD ROTARY CLUB HERE

Raymond B. Mather was elected president of the Richmond Rotary club at the annual election held at the Arlington hotel Tuesday noon. H. R. Robinson was elected vice president. A committee composed of J. J. Rae, Joseph Hill and Horace Kramer will name a secretary and treasurer, Wednesday.

The organization, elected Dr. Rae, Harry Doan, Joseph Hill, Thomas Tarleton, Horace Kramer, H. R. Robinson and Raymond Mather as directors. This body in turn appointed the president and vice president and named the committee for selecting the secretary and treasurer.

W. D. Scoble was elected chairman of the entertainment committee. When named, the new secretary, in company with Scoble, will compose the entertainment committee. Communications from the Los Angeles, California, and Winchester clubs were read.

## PROPOSED BONUS BILL TO BE IRONED OUT TODAY; \$1 OF \$1.25 DAILY, IS PLAN

WASHINGTON, April 20.—House Republicans will meet in party conference Thursday night "to iron out the rough spots" in the pending soldiers' relief legislation. Representative Tawney, of Iowa, chairman of the conference committee, announced today.

Besides carrying cash compensation, the tentative bill includes alternative offers of priority in land settlements, home building aid and extension of vocational training.

Plans for an adjusted cash compensation have been submitted by a sub-committee of the house ways and means committee, one granting \$1 for each day's service and the other authorizing payment at the rate of \$1.25 for each day, with no payments for the first two months of service. Under the latter plan, members said, those exempted because their service was less than 60 days and those serving for a longer period would be treated impartially, no payments being authorized to any one for the first two months' service.

It is proposed to begin cash payments on Jan. 1, 1921, continuing in quarterly installments.

## PRESIDENT WILSON MEETS HIS CABINET AGAIN TODAY

WASHINGTON, April 20.—President Wilson met with his cabinet today for the second time since his illness interrupted the regular schedule of meetings last fall. The meeting lasted for an hour and a quarter. It was said that the railroad strike situation and international problems affecting Mexico and Germany were mentioned only in a general way in the discussion of the variety of topics called to the president's attention by his secretary.

## ALBERT KELLER IS DEAD; SURVIVED BY 4 CHILDREN

Albert N. Keller, 44 years old, died at his home, 617 South Thirteenth street Tuesday morning, of a complication of diseases.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Laura Keller, and four children, Alvin, Ruth, Beatrice and Thelma.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial will be in Earhart cemetery. Friends may call at any time.

## ACTION DEFERRED ON INTERCHURCH WORLD PLAN

Nothing definite was done at the meeting of the committee on the inter-church city survey held Monday night. It was decided that, as many of the churches were in the drive that is to extend to May 2, action would be deferred until that time. About three-fourths of the city survey has been completed and plans for completing the remaining territory will be taken up at the future meeting.

## MUSIC DEMONSTRATOR HERE

Miss Genevieve Quely, of Chicago, head of the educational department of the Columbia Graphophone company, has set up a demonstration office in the Grace M. E. church. She is particularly interested in school and allied music.

## GEN. GRANT'S OLD HOME TOWN WILL HOLD FORTIETH ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF HIS BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY ON APRIL 27



General Grant as he appeared in 1861; his home in Galena, and Galena's welcome to him on his return from the war in 1865.

The fortieth annual celebration of the birthday anniversary of General Ulysses S. Grant will be held at Galena, Ill., his old home town, on April 27. General L. M. Wood will deliver the principal address. Elaborate preparations are under way to make the observance this year the most elaborate yet held.

Grant moved from St. Louis to Galena in 1859 to clerk in his father's store at a salary of \$75 per month. The house in which he and his family lived, and for which he paid \$12 per month rent, is still standing.

**Rule in Effect Since 1836 Suspended for Overall Club; Spreads From S. C. to Canada**

(By Associated Press)

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 20.—A rule in effect since January 1836, requiring lawyers to appear before the supreme court of South Carolina wearing black coats has been suspended until Oct. 1, at the request of members of the bar, so they may appear in overalls.

TELLICO PLAINS, Tenn., April 20.—An overall club formed here has the support of the pastor of the town's leading church, who will appear in the pulpit in overalls next Sunday. The pastor, a Methodist, has requested all men of the congregation also to wear them.

OTTAWA, April 20.—The Great war veterans association through its Dominion executive committee has voted to organize itself into an "overall brigade" if it was announced today. A message will be sent to all Canadian veterans urging them to wear denim to combat the high cost of clothing.

DETROIT, April 20.—Business women's organizations here have taken their flag at the high price of wearing apparel. One thousand stenographers, bookkeepers and other office workers pledged themselves not to exceed these maximum prices: Hats and shoes, \$10; suits and coats, \$50; dresses \$35; hose, \$2.50 and gloves \$2.

## EARLHAM

Seats for the French department play, "Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme" will be placed on sale at the college Wednesday noon. They may also be obtained at the Westcott pharmacy.

Arrangements have been completed for the Service Men's Club camp supper to be given Saturday evening. Members of the club met for discussion of business Monday night.

Donald Snyder and Josiah Russell will attend the annual meeting of the Indiana Press Association at Purdue university Friday and Saturday.

## TICKETS ON SALE

Tickets for the entire Music Teachers' convention are on sale at the Victrola shop, for \$2. They include admission to the concert Wednesday night when the Columbia Male Quartette, the Marion Civic orchestra, and Madame Sapin of Louisville, Ky., appear jointly. Single admission tickets and reserved seats for Wednesday evening may be obtained at the Welsbrod Music store. Other single admissions are 50 cents and will be paid at the door.

## GUATEMALA RETURNING TO NORMAL CONDITIONS

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Normal conditions gradually are being resumed in Guatemala, Minister McMillin reported to the state department. Estrada Cabrera, overthrown as president in last week's revolution, was still being held Saturday at the military academy by those in control of the government.

More than 5,000 soldiers have been demobilized and mustered out of service, work on private and public improvements has been resumed and conditions are quiet throughout the republic, the report said.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 20.—The New Orleans Daily States today published a cablegram from Max Schaumberger, formerly with the United States secret service here, but now in Guatemala City, saying that former President Cárdenas had been declared insane and that during last week's revolution both the British and American legations were hit by the door.

## G. O. P. COMMITTEE WILL MEET IN CHICAGO MAY 23

CHICAGO, April 20.—The Republican national committee will meet in Chicago on May 23 to consider contests between delegates to the national convention June 8, Fred Upham, treasurer of the committee, said. Will H. Hays, national chairman; A. T. Hert, chairman of the committee on the Chicago convention arrangements, and Mr. Upham spent today in conference on plans for the national gathering.

## LIVING COST UNCHANGED IN MONTH ENDING MARCH 15

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The cost of living as represented by prices of 22 articles of food remained practically unchanged during the month ending March 15, the Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor statistics reported today. Figures made public showed that the cost of the 20 articles of food was only six-tenths of 1 per cent below the cost of the same articles in January, when prices reached a high water mark.

## THE RICHMOND PALLADIUM AND SUN-TELEGRAM, TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1920.

## BODIES IN FRANCE TO BE MOVED SOON

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Removal of the American dead from within the fighting zone in France for transportation to the United States, will begin after Sept. 16, under an agreement between the American and French governments.

Bodies of men buried outside these zones are now being moved to this country.

## Short News of City

### BOSTON H. S. COMMISSIONED

Indefinite commission has been granted the Boston High school by state board of education, making 12 commissioned high schools in Wayne county. Milton and Cambridge City were recently commissioned for one year. The Boston commission will take effect June 30.

### TO BUILD WAREHOUSE

A building permit has been issued to the Henry Holzapfel Junk company for the construction of a one-story wooden warehouse at 225 and 227 North Third street. The new building will cost more than \$2,000.

### HEARS OF MISFORTUNES

Mrs. E. McKinney, of this city, has received word that her sister, Mrs. William Breuner, of Trinway, O., sustained a broken hip while visiting in Zanesville, O., and that Mrs. Breuner's husband, who was in Frankfort, Mich., died a few days after the accident.

### PLEASE WITH PASTORATE

The Rev. F. L. Semans, formerly pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city, expressed himself as very much pleased and interested in his new pastorate, the Grace Methodist church of Chicago, Tuesday.

The Rev. Semans was active here in Young People's work, and accomplished much by his interest. Because of the large territory covered by the Grace Church in Chicago, much assistance is given to the new pastor.

### ELLEMAN IS FINED

Thomas Ellemen was fined \$5 and costs for trespass in city court Tuesday.

### TO BUILD FILLING STATION

With the purchase of the Harmonetta property at North Eighth street and Fort Wayne avenue, the Standard Oil company will come into possession of its third filling station in Richmond. Brick and stucco will be used in the construction of a building, estimated to cost \$2,000.

### OUT OF CIRCULATION

Orell Doach, who was arraigned in city court Tuesday morning of petit larceny, was fined \$25 and costs and was sentenced to 25 days in the county jail.

### ATTEND G. O. P. MEETING

Women members of the high school faculty and older high school girls were invited by Miss Esther Griffin to meet Republican candidates for governor and president at an informal reception in the Westcott hotel Tuesday afternoon. Several attended.

### ADDRESSES H. S. CHAPEL

Saing is the one that shows regard for another and that services rendered for others are steps towards success, Charles W. Jordan, president of the school board, addressed the Freshman chapel at high school Tuesday. Miss Mildred Haas gave a piano solo and Shannon Nef whistled.

### TO GO TO MEXICO

R. S. Tice, from the mission field in Mexico, is in the city to hold a conference with John H. Johnson and Herbert Hauffman after which he will return to his post in Mexico. He states that he does not believe the present troubles in Mexico are serious, and that they will rapidly readjust themselves.

### HARVEY IN CARTHAGE

J. Madison Harvey, member of the Faculty of the Friends' school, was in Carthage, Ind., Monday night, where he delivered a talk in connection with Interchurch lantern slides.

### ATTEND INDIANAPOLIS BANQUET

John H. Johnson and Herman O. Miles attended the banquet held in Indianapolis Monday for business men.

### PIERSON TO BE HERE

Millard P. Pierson, of Amboy, Ind., is to come to the city Tuesday afternoon, where he will meet John H. Johnson, and the two will leave for Indianapolis in Ohio to raise subscriptions for the Forward Movement.

### ARRANGE FOR PASSAGE

Clarence Pickett, secretary of the Young Friends' Five Years Meeting, was in Philadelphia, Saturday, helping to appoint additional delegates for the London conference. Boat passage was also secured.

### TO MEET THURSDAY

Circle No. 3 of St. Paul's Lutheran aid society will meet at the church on Wednesday afternoon, instead of Thursday as previously announced.

### LADIES' AID TO MEET

The Ladies' aid society of Trinity Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. Fred Goebel, 216½ Northwest First street, Thursday afternoon.

### SECTION TO MEET

Section Three of the Grace M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Ed. Thompson, 116 North Sixth street, Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.

### "Y" MEN GET SUPPER

Dormitory men of the "Y" were served a supper Monday evening in the association building by the ladies of the First English Lutheran church.

### BIBLE CLASS INTEREST

The "story" Bible class of the "Y," conducted by Thomas Wilson, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A., for the boys' department, is gaining in interest and membership. Every Saturday morning at 9:15 the class meets to learn the story of some Bible character.

Next Saturday the story will be about Daniel. At the conclusion of the series an examination will be held covering the lessons, and certificates of merit will be presented to those who make the best grades.

### FIELD SECRETARY HERE

Madam Rosa B. Collins, field secretary of the Macon Normal Industrial Institute at Macon, Ga., will speak at the Second Baptist church Tuesday evening at 8:00. Her subject will be "The Negro Girl Educated."

### TO OBSERVE MOTHERS' DAY

Mother's Day, May 9, will be observed at the "Y" by a supper for the dormitory men by mothers of the city. Some good speakers are to be secured for the occasion and a pleasant surprise is being planned for the men.

### COULD NOT STAND STRAIGHT

It does not take long, when the kidneys are out of order, and not receiving their work properly, for poisonous acids to accumulate in the system and cause aches and pains. D. C. Hammons, 2865 W. 36th St., Cleveland, O., writes: "I could not stand straight in my kidneys. My back and sides were so lame and sore I could not stand straight. I use Foley Kidney Pills with good results and am glad to testify that they help a great deal." For a copy of the Foley Kidney Pills, write to A. G. Lukens & Co., 630 Main St.—Advertisement.

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## 86 Years Young

THE Montauk club of Brooklyn, N. Y., is making preparations to give its usual dinner on April 23rd in celebration of the birthday of Hon. Chauncy M. Depew. The famous after-dinner speaker will be 86 years old—or that day.

"I have lived long because I enjoy life and try to help others to enjoy it," said Mr. Depew on his last birthday.

Peekskill, N. Y., where he was born, naturally regards Mr. Depew as its finest product. He gave a park to that town and set up a statue of himself in it.